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A "Sense of Pride"

COVID UPDATES FOLLOWING GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Dear Parents/Carers,

This information is to inform you of how the changes in legislation affects us here at SPJS.

We will continue to:

- Encourage good hand and respiratory hygiene ('Catch it, bin it, kill it').
- Continue with regular cleaning throughout the day.
- Keep spaces well ventilated
- Follow public health advice on testing, self-isolation and managing confirmed cases of COVID-19.

If anyone develops the following Covid-19 symptoms, you must STILL arrange a PCR test and stay off school.

The main symptoms of Covid-19 are:

- A high temperature
- A new continuous cough
- A loss or change to sense of smell or taste.

If the PCR test comes back positive, children/adults should remain off school and avoid contact with other people for at least 5 full days. Children/adults may return to school once they have received 2 negative test results on consecutive days after these 5 days.

Tracing Close Contacts and Isolation

- Contacts are no longer required to self-isolate or advised to take daily tests, and contact tracing has ended. This means you will no longer receive emails to notify you when a child/adult has tested positive in the class.

Asymptomatic Testing

- Staff will not be expected to continue taking part in regular asymptomatic testing. However, in the event of an outbreak, we may be advised by our local health team or director of public health to undertake testing for staff and pupils.

Remote Learning

- Remote learning will continue to be provided for pupils who are off school with Covid and are well enough to complete learning. This can be found on the Year Group Home Learning Page.

Face coverings

- They are no longer advised for pupils, staff and visitors in classrooms or communal areas. However, the government suggests that you continue to wear a face covering in crowded and enclosed spaces where you may come into contact with other people you do not normally meet. If we have several cases of Covid in school, we may temporarily reintroduce the need for adults to wear them in school.

Year Group Contact

- We will reintroduce children to whole school assemblies. In the dining hall, children will be allowed to sit with children from other year groups. Both halls will be well ventilated.

Thank you for your continued support.

Mrs Lamy
Headteacher

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